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BRIEF OUTLINE
DEVELOPMENT OF AMERICAN AGRICULTURE
1890--1950

NATIONAL FARMERS UNION <u>Organized in 1902</u>	AMERICAN FARM BUREAU FEDERATION <u>Organized in 1920</u>	AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ACT <u>Passed in 1933</u>
FORESTRY SERVICE <u>Established in 1891</u>	FARM CREDIT ADMINISTRATION ACTS <u>1916-Federal Farm Loan Act</u> <u>1923 Agricultural Credit Act</u> <u>1933 Farm Credit Act</u>	FEDERAL CROP INSURANCE CORPORATION <u>Established in 1938</u>
BUREAU OF PLANT INDUSTRY, SOILS AND AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING <u>Established in 1901</u>		FARMERS HOME ADMINISTRATION Formerly
BUREAU OF DAIRY INDUSTRY <u>Established in 1895</u>	SMITH-HUGHES VOCATIONAL EDUCATION ACT <u>Passed in 1917</u>	Farm Security Administration <u>Established in 1935</u>
RURAL FREE DELIVERY OF MAILS <u>Started in 1896</u>	AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION AND EXPERIMENTAL WORK Made Rapid Progress	SOIL CONSERVATION SERVICE <u>Established in 1935</u>
BUREAU OF HUMAN NUTRITION AND HOME ECONOMICS <u>First Appropriation in 1894</u>	HOME DEMONSTRATION WORK <u>Had Its Beginning in 1913</u>	PRODUCTION & MARKETING ADMINISTRATION <u>Established in 1945</u>
TEACHING BY DEMONSTRATION STARTED BY SEMAN A. KNAPP <u>1903 Community Demonstration Farms Established in Texas.</u>	TEACHING BY DEMONSTRATION <u>(CONTINUED)</u> 1906 First County Agent Employed in Texas. 1908 157 Agents in 11 States. 1910 450 Agents in 455 Counties. 1911 580 Agents at Work.	GROWTH OF EXTENSION WORK FOLLOWING PASSAGE OF SMITH-LEVER ACT State Year 1914 1923 1932 1941 1950 County Workers 383 1232 1682 2293 2868 Total Workers 1237 3442 4277 6853 9325 12193
CLUB WORK WITH RURAL BOYS AND GIRLS <u>Developed in Many States 1900-1913</u>	SMITH-LEVER ACT <u>1914</u> Established EXTENSION WORK	BANKHEAD-JONES ACT <u>1935</u> Expanded EXTENSION WORK
1890	1900 1910	1920 1930 1940
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